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Congress of the United States
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February 5, 2007

Mr. William E. Moschella
Assistant Attorney General
Office of Legislative Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Room 1145
Washington, DC 20530

Dear Mr. Moschella,

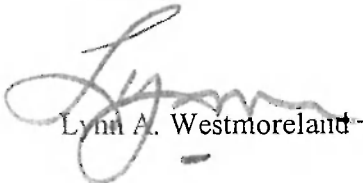
Please find enclosed correspondence I received from my constituent, Mr. Richard E. Adkins. I would appreciate your review of this information in accordance with established policies and procedures. Upon completion of your review, please forward clarification of your findings to the address below.

Congressman Lynn Westmoreland
1601 Highway 34 East, Suite B
Newnan, GA 30265
Attn: Kelly Earley

Mr. Richard E. Adkins has authorized the release of confidential information pursuant to the Privacy Act of 1974.

In the event my office may be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact Kelly Earley at 770-683-2033. Thank you for your efforts in this matter, and I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,


Lynn A. Westmoreland

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The Privacy Act 1974 prohibits the government from revealing any information from personal files of individuals without the express written permission of the person involved. Disclosure of personal records to a member of Congress or staff who is acting on Behalf of a constituent is prohibited, unless the individual to whom the record pertains has consented.

I, the undersigned, hereby authorize the release of all pertinent information to
Congressional Lynn Westmoreland or his staff to make an inquiry on my behalf to the
Office of Union Atty. (Name of Agency)

Name RICHARD E. ADKINS Street Address [REDACTED]

City, State, Zip Code FAIRVIEW, GA 30214

Social Security/ Other ID [REDACTED] Case file # 2005-08-933

Telephone # [REDACTED]

Signature [Signature] Date 27 JAN 07

Please Give a Brief Description Of Your Problem Below:

(Use the back of the page if necessary)

*9 Aug 05 I requested a Presidential Pardon for using profane language
on a CB Radio in 1977. I'm a totally & permanently disabled veteran
and requested this pardon to restore my criminal rights. I would like
to be able to purchase and possess firearms legally to subsidize my
meat diet to include deer and turkey, as well as to be able to defend
myself and property. I can get absolutely no information regarding
the status of my request from the Pardon attorney office.*

Please Send This Form To: 1601 Highway 34 East
Suite B Newnan, GA 30265
Or Fax To 770-683-2042

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Since this was a non-violent offense and occurred some 30 years ago, I would think I should have received some sort of answer by now.

I have only traffic violations since 1977 and have no other criminal record.

Cong. Westmoreland, I would appreciate an inquiry from your office to the Pardon Atty's office as to the status of my request and why this has taken almost 1 1/2 years w/o any correspondence from them.

Thank you in advance for any assistance you might provide me in this matter. Keep up the good work.

God Bless,

Richard E. Adkins

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U. S. Department of Justice

Pardon Attorney

Washington, D.C. 20530

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The Honorable Lynn A. Westmoreland
Member, U.S. House of Representatives
1601 Highway 34 East, Suite B
Newnan, Georgia 30263

Attn: Kelly Earley

Dear Congressman Westmoreland:

Thank you for your letter of February 5, 2007, enclosing a communication from your constituent, Richard E. Adkins. Mr. Adkins requested information concerning the status of his pardon application. His pardon petition was received in my office in August 2005. As Mr. Adkins will recall, the FBI subsequently interviewed him in connection with his request for a pardon. His application remains under consideration at this time. We are unable to predict when a decision will be reached, but Mr. Adkins will be notified promptly when final action has been taken.

I appreciate your interest in this matter

Sincerely,

Roger C. Adams
Pardon Attorney